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SUBJECT: PORTUGUESE FORCE DEVELOPMENT: PRODDING THE
ALLIES

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1. PURSUANT TO REFTTEL, DEFAD RAISED WITH ASYG MUMFORD ON
27 JULY THE DESIRABILITY OF QUERYING ALLIES ON PROGRESS
BEING MADE ON FINAL COMMITMENTS TO PORTUGUESE FORCE DEVELOP-
MENT.

2. MUMFORD SAID THAT HE WAS ALREADY DOING THAT AND STRESSING
THE NEED FOR DEFINITE AND POSITIVE REPLIES AT THE NEXT AD
HOC GROUP PLEDGING SESSION THIS FALL. MUMFORD WAS HOPEFUL
THAT FOLLOWING THE NEXT MEETING NATO COULD MAKE A PUBLIC
ANNOUNCEMENT ON PROGRESS BEING MADE.

3. WE UNDERSTAND THAT SHAPE WILL BE PREPARED AT THE NEXT
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AD HOC GROUP MEETING TO PRESENT AN INTERIM REPORT ON SHAPE'S
FOLLOW-UP TO THE PLEDGING SESSION. SHAPE ALSO INTENDS
DURING TRI-LATERAL DISCUSSIONS IN CAPITALS IN THE CONTEXT
OF THE ANNUAL FALL DEFENSE REVIEW (EXAMINATION OF DPQ
REPLIES) TO ENCOURAGE GREATER ALLIES PARTICIPATION IN
PORTUGUESE PROGRAM. BENNETT

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